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The 1961 Carrier

Presented by the Senior Class

Middleburg High School

Middleburg, North Carolina

Foreword

Through the pleasant toil of the Senior Class we proudly present you with this '61 edition of the CARRIER. It is our sincere wish that the memories we have preserved within these pages will linger in your minds throughout the years.

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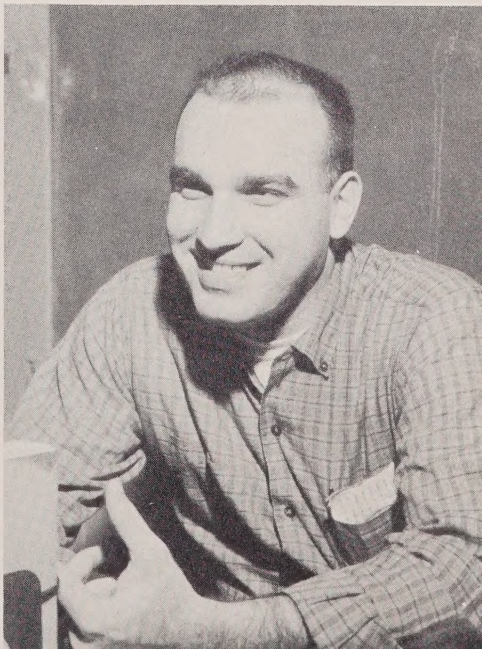
Dedication

We, the Seniors, humbly dedicate the 1961 CARRIER to you, MR. J. W. STEPUSIN, in sincere appreciation for the patience and understanding which you have shown us during our high school days. Though we were very trying at times, we know, you were just the friend and counselor we needed to give us guidance.

Coach, we will always remember you with respect and admiration and hope that you will never forget the Class of '61.



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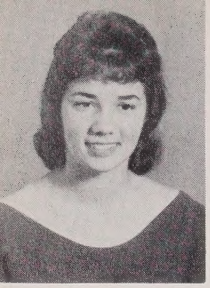

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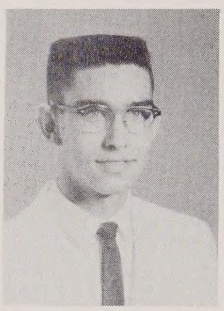

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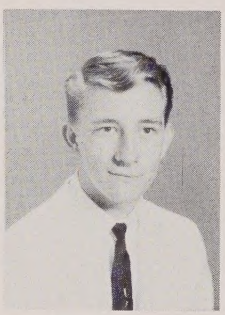

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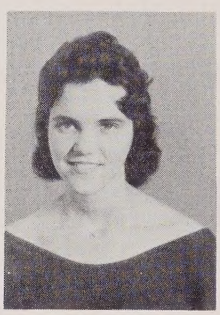

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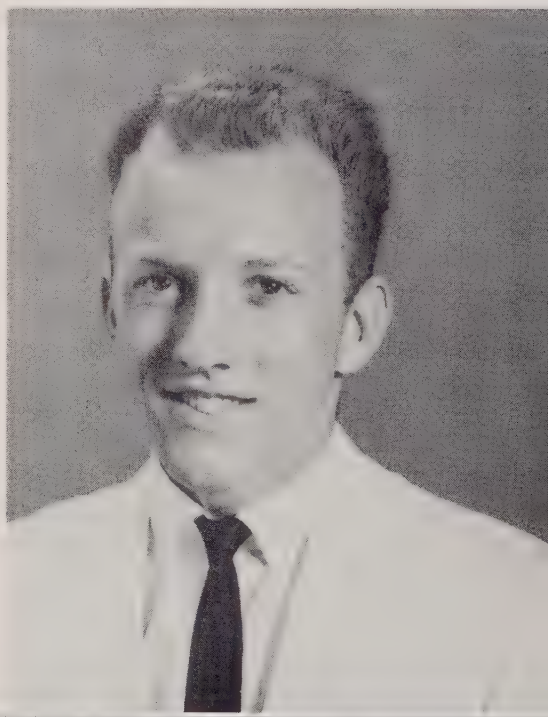

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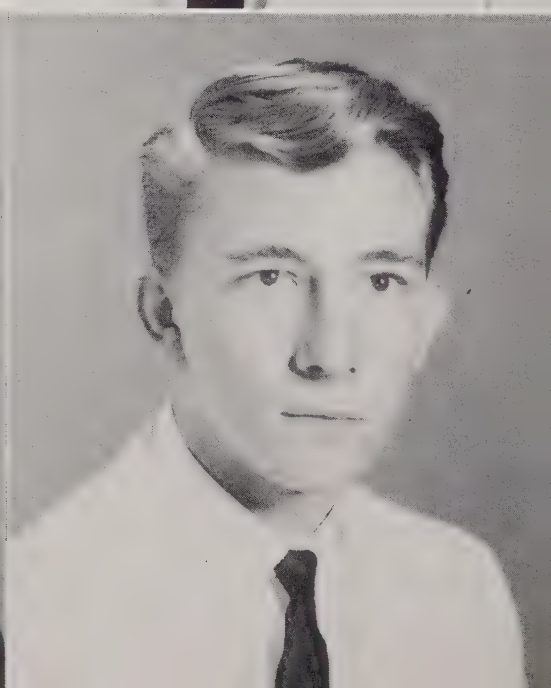

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MARGARET VANN

JOHNNY WATKINS

MAC WILSON

Senior Statistics

PEGGY ABBOTT

"She's always full of fun and joy,
A favorite with any girl or boy."

Basketball 1, 2; 4-H Secretary 4, 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Banquet Waitress 2; Class Secretary 1, 4; Cheerleader 4; Music 1; Annual Staff.

ANNE ARRINGTON

"As he thinketh in his heart, so is he."

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Class Poet 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1; Banquet Waitress 2; Annual Staff; Miss Carrier 4.

SYLVIA EDWARDS

"Roll on world and I'll roll with you."

4-H 1; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 3; Class Vice-President 2; Junior-Senior Banquet Waitress 2; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Marshal 3; Annual Staff; Librarian 4.

FRANCES ELLINGTON

"Always at ease,
She tries hard to please."

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Banquet Waitress 2; Class Vice-President 4.

DOT FORT

"If a task is once begun
She'll never leave until it's done."

Beta Club 2, 3, 4, Reporter 4, Delegate to State Convention 3, Bi-County Song Leader 2; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 2, President 3, Delegate to State Convention 1, 2, 3, Junior Degree 3, Chapter Degree 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3; Marshal 2, 3, Assistant Chief 3; Junior-Senior Banquet Waitress 2; Annual Staff.

CAROLYN HESTER

"Not too serious, not too gay,
Yet she has a loving way."

Epsom 1, 2, Vice-President 1; Algebra Club 1; FHA 2, 3, 4, Historian 2, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Monogram Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Waitress 2; Librarian 2; Marshal 2; Annual Staff.

JEAN KEARNS

"Although she has a little twist,
Jean rates with us at the top of the list."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Class President 3; Junior-Senior Banquet Waitress 1; Annual Staff; Monogram Club 4; 4-H 1; Prophetess 4.

SANDRA MOODY

"It's nice to be natural when you're naturally nice."

4-H 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Committee 3.

PATRICIA MYRICK

"Take life easy, have fun and be gay,
That's a good policy they say."

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; 4-H 1; Junior-Senior Waitress 1; Historian 4.

BOBBY PEOPLES

"Not a Romeo or a flirt,
Just a boy who likes a skirt."

FFA 1, 2, FFA Vice-President 2; Beta Club 2; Class Vice-President 3; Annual Staff.

PEGGY PUGH

"It's hard to find one of her kind."

4-H 1, 2; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2.

HUNTER REAVIS

"If worry causes death, I'll never die."

Class Vice-President 1; Class President 2; FFA 1, 2; Beta Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3, President 4; Librarian 3; Bus Driver 4; Annual Staff.

KAYE H. ROBERSON

"Full of chatter, full of pep,
Never quiet, that's her rep."

Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, Chief 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4, Reporter 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4, Song Leader 3, 4; Class Treasurer 2; Junior-Senior Banquet Waitress 1, 2; Annual Staff; Music Club 3, 4; FHA Convention 1, 3.

BRENDA ROBINSON

"Sparkling eyes a smile for everyone:
When you're with Brenda, you'll always have fun."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; 4-H 1; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Class President 4; Annual Staff; Junior-Senior Banquet Waitress 2.

NANCY STAINBACK

"Sparkling eyes and a friendly smile;
Her list of friends will run a mile."

Henderson High 1, 2, 3.

MARGARET VANN

"To do work in medicine is her ambition;
She is efficient, so will be sincere in any position."

Elizabethtown 1; 4-H 1; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 2, Parliamentarian 3, Junior Homemaker Degree 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Librarian 4; Annual Staff; Junior-Senior Banquet Waitress 2.

JOHNNY WATKINS

"Johnny is athletic with blue eyes that shine;
And to one girl he is simply divine."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, Chapter Farmer 2; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4, President 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Delegate to Boys' State; Class Officer 1, 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; Annual Staff.

MAC WILSON

"I'll be getting old when I walk around a puddle instead of through it."

FFA 1, 2, 3, Sentinel 2, Reporter 3, Chapter Farmer Degree 2, Delegate to State Convention, FFA Tool Contest, Parliamentary Procedure Contest; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4.

Last Will and Testament

We, the Class of 1961 of Middleburg High School, Town of Middleburg, County of Vance, State of North Carolina, realizing that our days of happiness in this institution are approaching an end, do hereby proclaim our Last Will and Testament.

KAYE ROBERSON leaves her ability to get a man and keep him to June Wynne.

JEAN KEARNS leaves her ability to skip class to Mary Thomas Edwards although she doesn't need it.

NANCY STAINBACK leaves her quiet ways to Carolyn Buchanan.

SYLVIA EDWARDS leaves her sneaky ways and not guilty attitude to Louise Holloway.

PEGGY ABBOTT leaves her ability to date college boys to Jackie Arrington.

SANDRA MOODY leaves her laughter to Linda Leigh Satterwhite.

ANNE ARRINGTON leaves her nice disposition to Linda Faye King, hoping she will use hers as nicely as Anne does.

PEGGY PUGH leaves her ability to talk in class and not get caught to Joyce Jennings.

DOT FORT leaves her "Brains" to Robert Lane, hoping his will last as long as hers.

CAROLYN HESTER leaves her athletic ability to Shirley Abbott.

PATRICIA MYRICK leaves her ability to write letters in class to her boy friend's old girl friend to Linda Gray Perdue.

FRANCES ELLINGTON leaves her ability to get along with people to Margaret Stem.

MAC WILSON leaves his ability to work with algebra to the Freshman class, hoping they will make more use of it than Mac did.

JOHNNY WATKINS leaves his athletic ability and quiet ways to Jimmy Holloway.

HUNTER REAVIS leaves his ability to get along with the teachers to Ralph Ellington.

BRENDA ROBINSON leaves her witty ways to anyone foolish enough to want them.

MARGARET VANN leaves her little green Plymouth to anyone who can drive it, hoping they will have as much fun as she and her friends did.

FRANCES ELLINGTON
Testatrix

Prophecy

Some time after I had been asked to prophesy for my classmates, I came upon a gypsy camp one afternoon when I was out for a stroll. This, I thought, would be the answer to my problem of predicting for my classmates, so I sought out one of the oldest women in the camp. After giving her the names of the members of my class, this is what she told me we would be doing ten years hence:

CAROLYN HESTER is working for the National Bank. She has met a New York banker and it seems to be "love at first sight." She may marry him and move to New York.

BOBBY PEOPLES is owner of the three theaters in Henderson now. He is still looking around for a wife!

ANN ARRINGTON is the owner of a very successful art studio. She has painted a well-known portrait of DOT FORT, who is a very famous movie star.

PEGGY PUGH is now married and a successful housewife.

BRENDA ROBINSON is half owner of Peoples Bank. She figures since she is in the family she might as well own part of the bank.

PEGGY ABBOTT is married to John Richard White, who is owner of several drug stores in town.

SANDRA MOODY is in the People's family also. She and Brenda are kin on both sides of the family now. Between them I am sure Peoples Bank will stay in the family.

HUNTER REAVIS is still a bachelor. He may soon move over in the Greystone Community, from what I hear after talking to "Tootie."

NANCY STAINBACK is doing fine living in the Middleburg Community with two sweet little children.

PATPICIA MYRICK is a successful housewife and also is working as a secretary in Oxford.

KAYE ROBERSON finally got her man, Sonny. She is running a thriving beauty shop in Greystone.

SYLVIA EDWARDS is a secretary for her brother's garage in Middleburg. The boys keep finding things to go down there for. I don't know if it is to get the car fixed or to see "Chick."

MAC WILSON has finally married one of those Townsville girls. They now have six little "red-headed Wilson's."

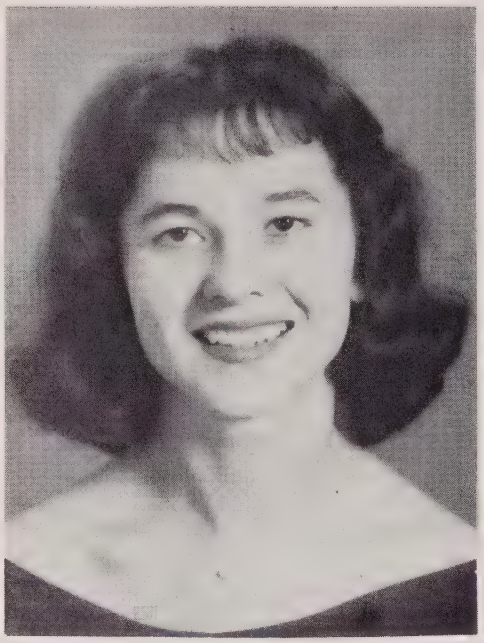
JOHNNY WATKINS is now a world professional ball player. He and MARGARET VANN finally got hitched. I think they are going to try to raise their own ball team. They have made a pretty good start.

FRANCES ELLINGTON is a basketball coach for Dabney girls. She got that Robinson boy so she decided to coach for Dabney instead of Middleburg.

And last of all she told me Bobby and I would have a new addition to our family, which would make five. But heavens, NO, I think she predicted some things wrong.

JEAN KEARNS
Prophetess

PEGGY ABBOTT
Most Popular
Most Talented



ANN ARRINGTON
Most Courteous

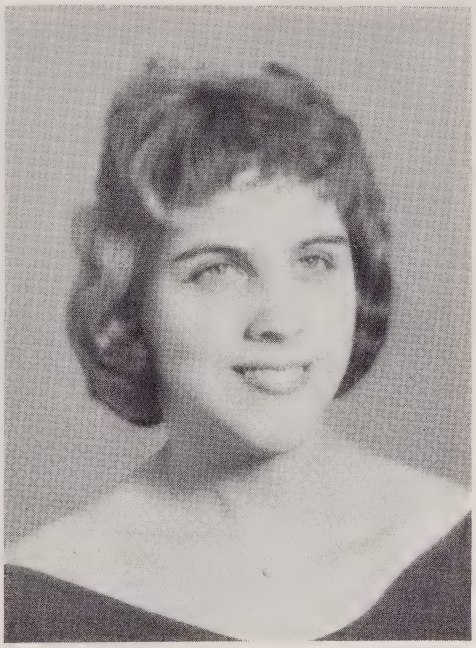
SYLVIA EDWARDS
Cutest
Neatest

FRANCES ELLINGTON
Best All Around
Most Dependable

DOT FORT
Prettiest, Most Intellectual
Most Original, Most Studious

CAROLYN HESTER
Most Athletic

JEAN KEARNS
Biggest Baby
Most Conceited

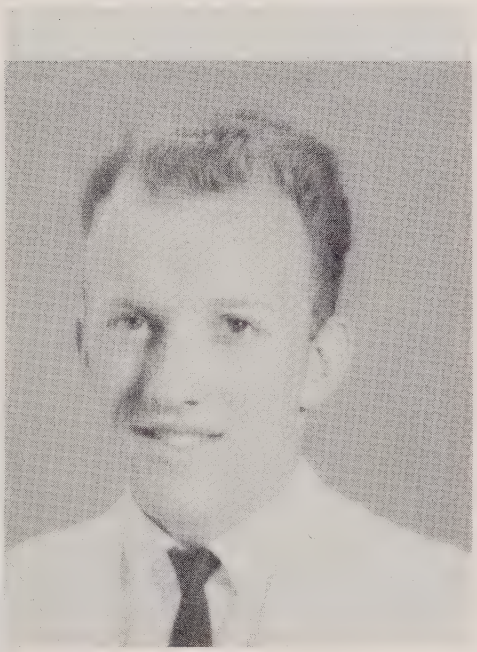


SANDRA MOODY
Most Considerate

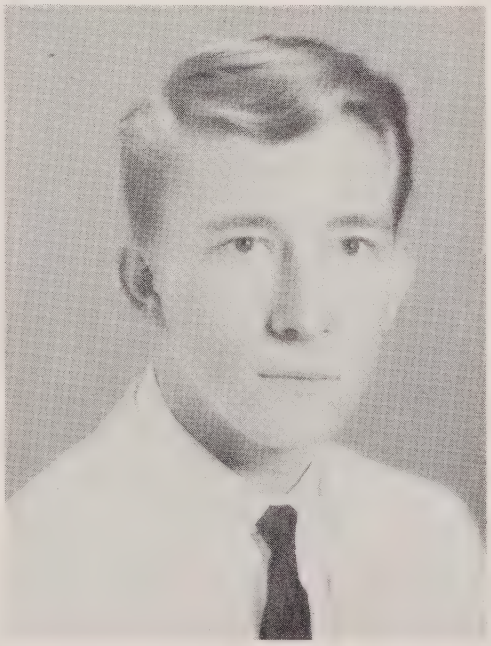
PATRICIA MYRICK
Biggest Flirt

PEGGY PUGH
Most Helpful

BOBBY PEOPLES, Wittiest
Most Popular, Most Handsome, Most Conceited, Biggest Flirt, Friendliest Most Original, Sweetest



HUNTER REAVIS, Most Courteous
Quietest, Best Dressed, Neatest, Most Dependable, Best Sport



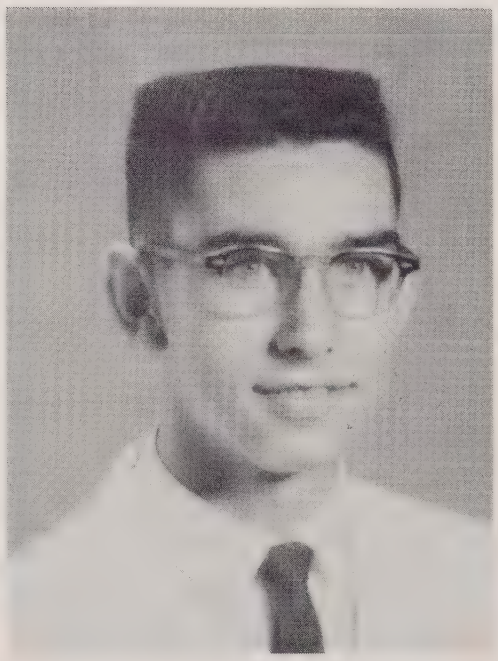
KAYE H. ROBERSON
Friendliest

BRENDA ROBINSON
Wittiest, Sweetest, Best Sport

NANCY G. STAINBACK
Quietest, Most Polite, Most Pleasing Personality

MARGARET VANN
Most Likely to Succeed
Best Dressed

JOHNNY WATKINS, Most Intellectual
Most Athletic, Most Likely to Succeed
Most Talented, Biggest Baby, Most Studious



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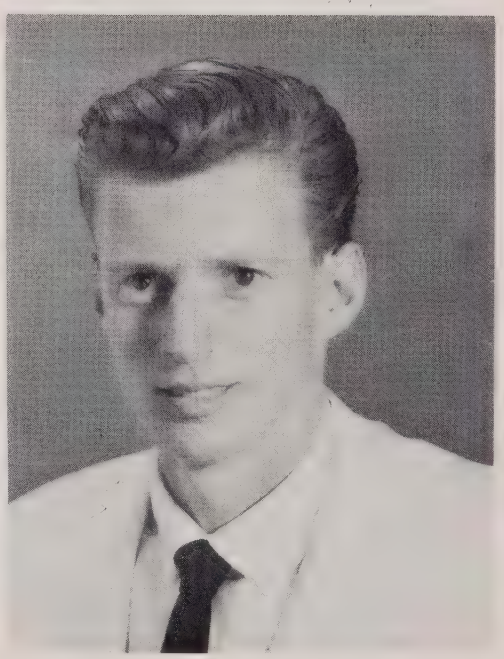
Cutest, Best All Around, Most Polite
Most Considerate, Most Pleasing Personality



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Mascots

JEANIE PEEBLES
DOUGLAS ABBOTT

Poem

DEAR OLD MIDDLEBURG HIGH

Our high school years are coming to a close,
And all our goals we have reached;
So which of you can say we didn't try,
Or say we've known defeat.

For this is our last year at Middleburg High,
And our friends we'll hold close to our hearts;
But let us not forget our teachers dear,
For they played the greatest part.

Our lives we'll live separately,
With many a pain to bear.
There are more problems out of school than in,
But we'll cope with them in prayer.

As we think back over past years,
Old memories will never die;
We'll remember long the things we did,
At DEAR OLD MIDDLEBURG HIGH.

ANN ARRINGTON
Class Poet

Flower

Red Rose

Colors

Red and White

Motto

Not finished; just begun.

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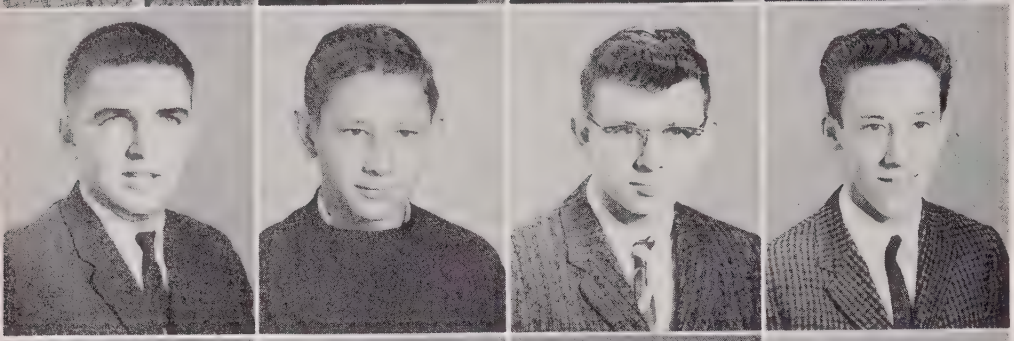

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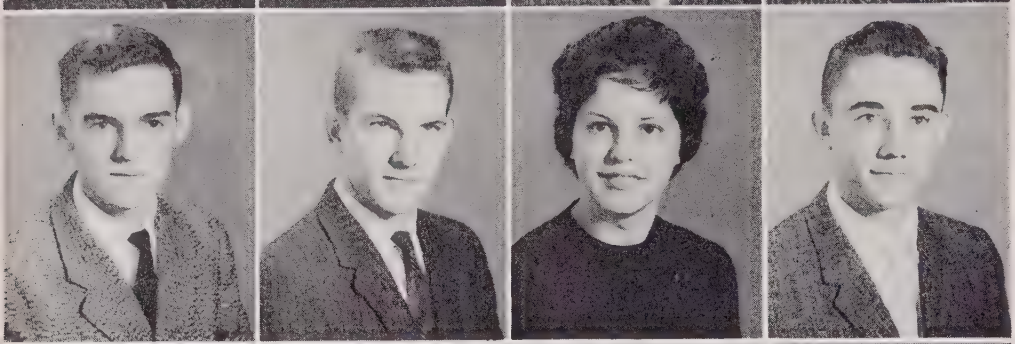

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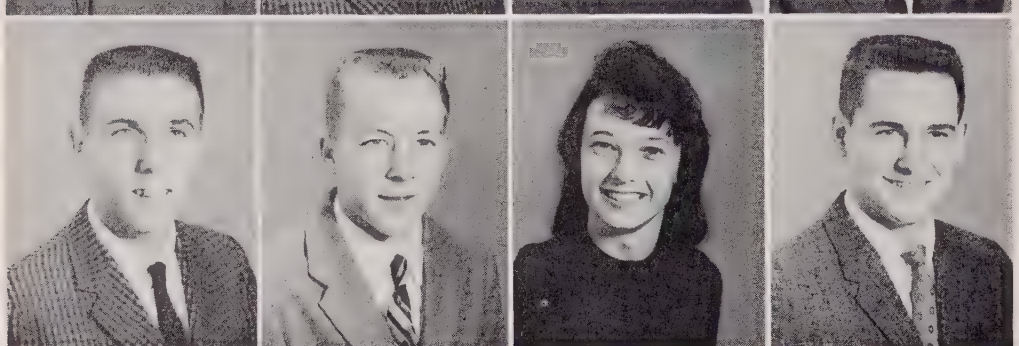

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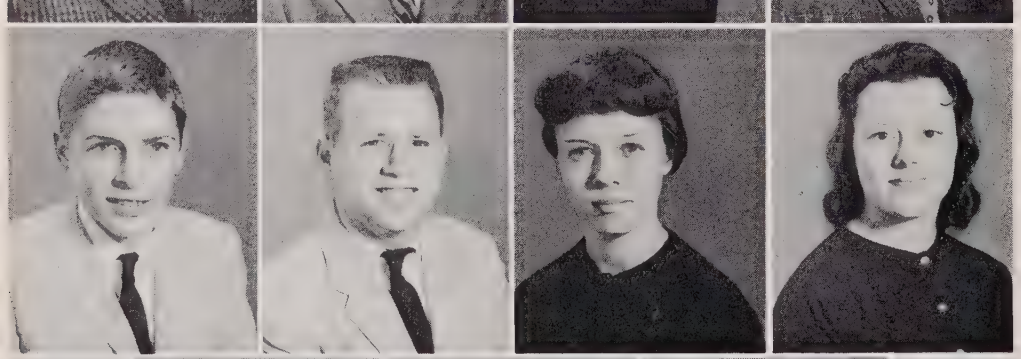

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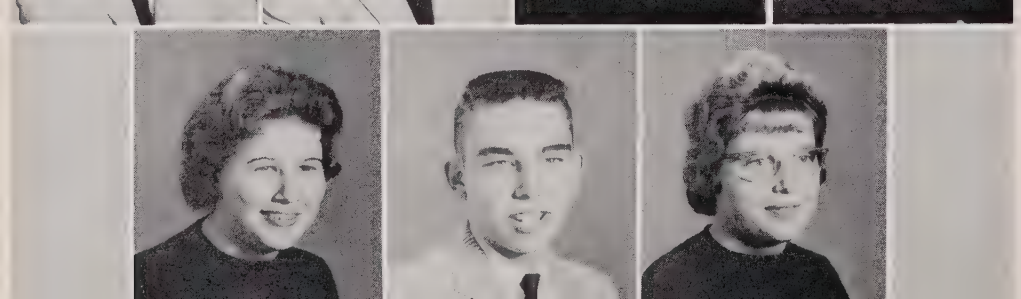

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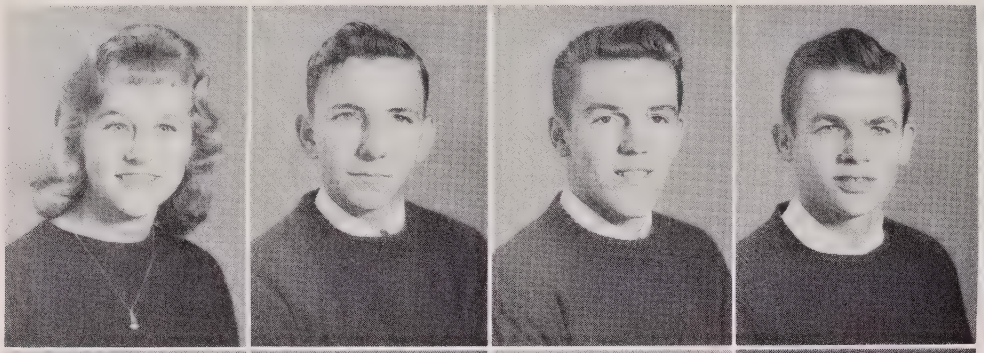

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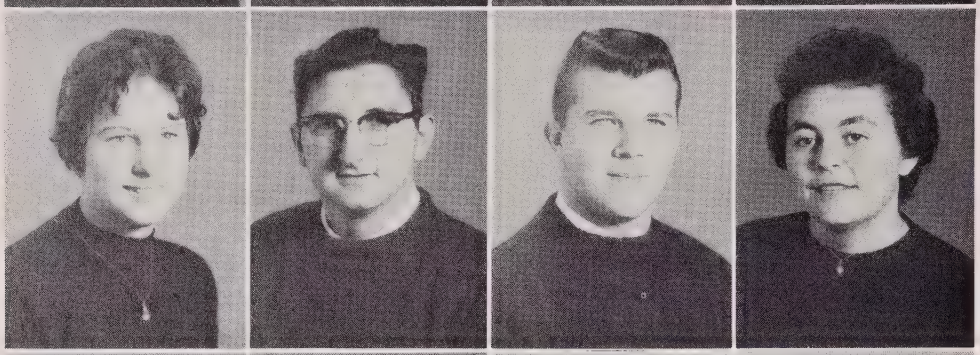

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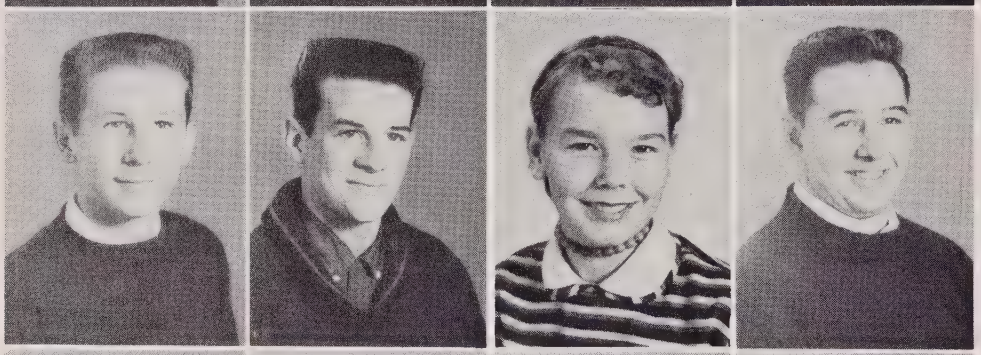

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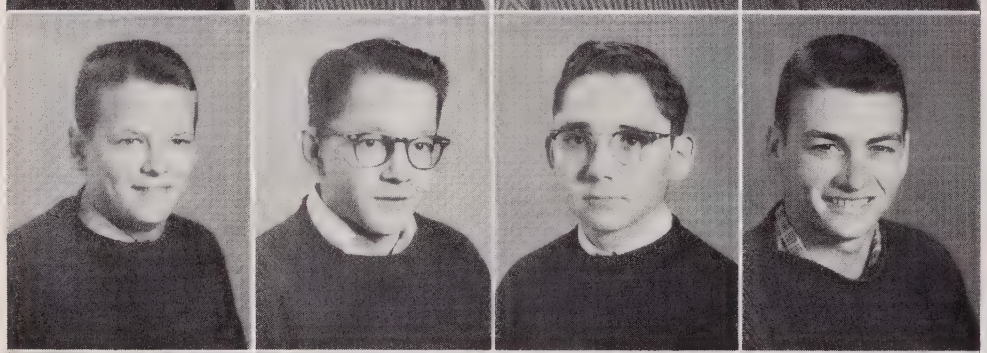

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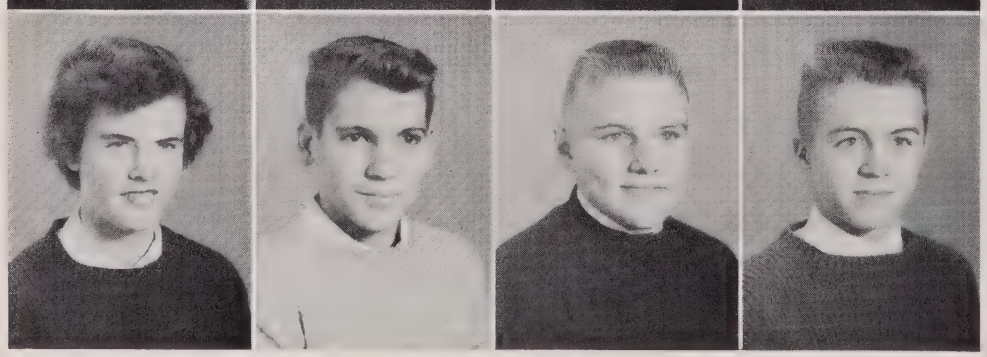

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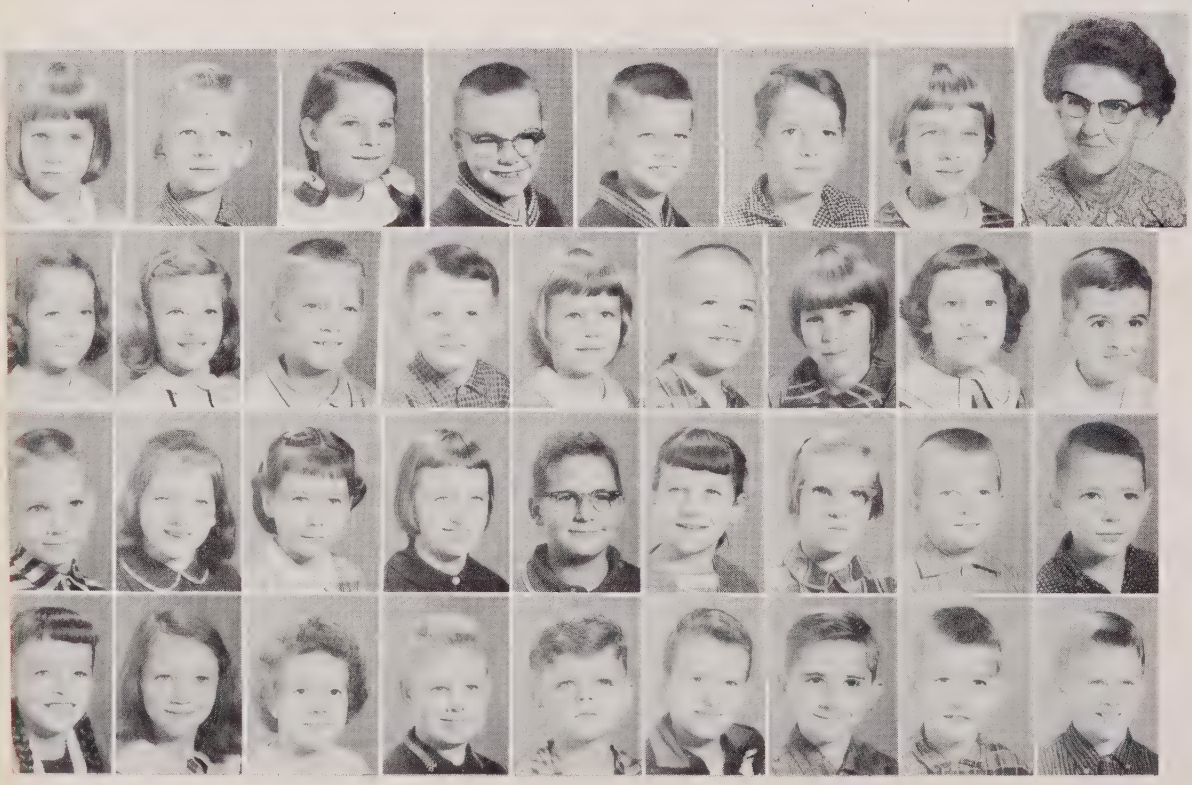

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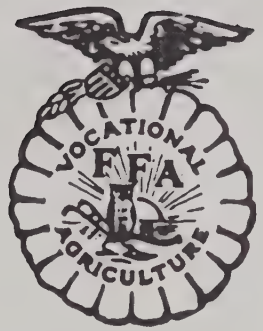
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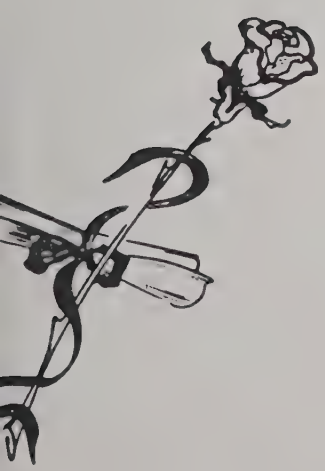

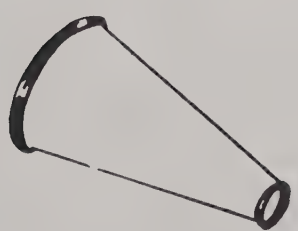

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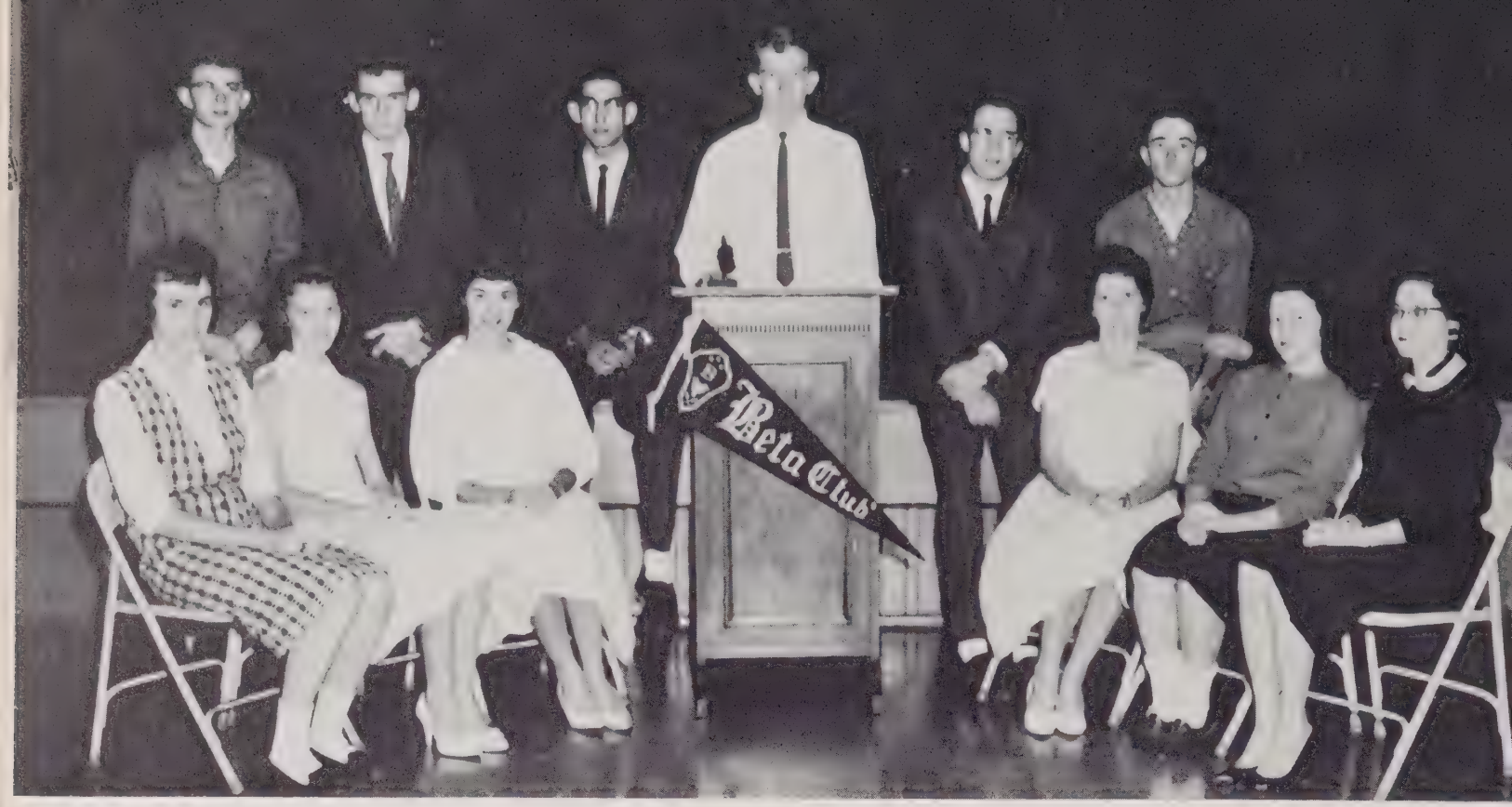

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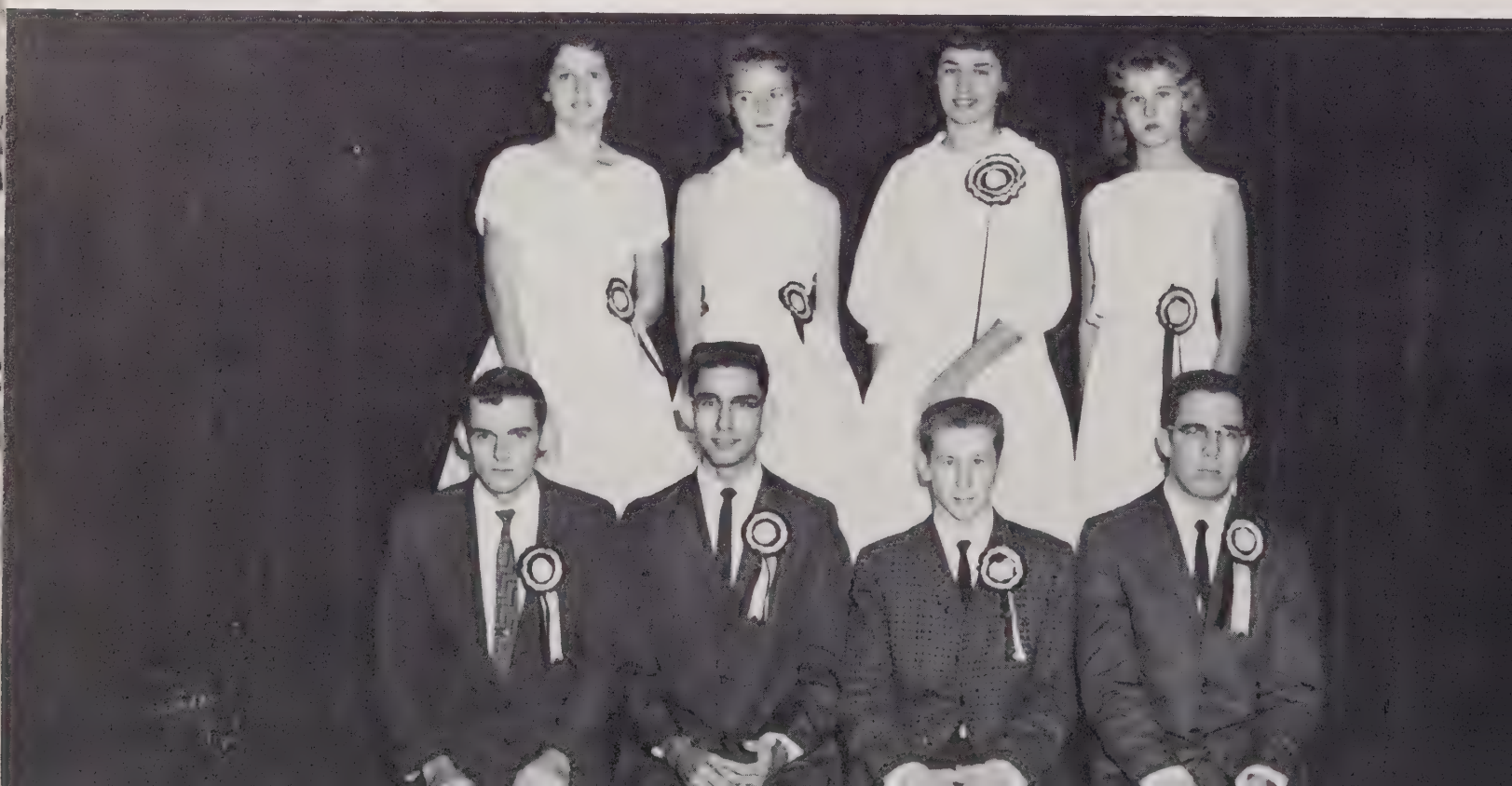

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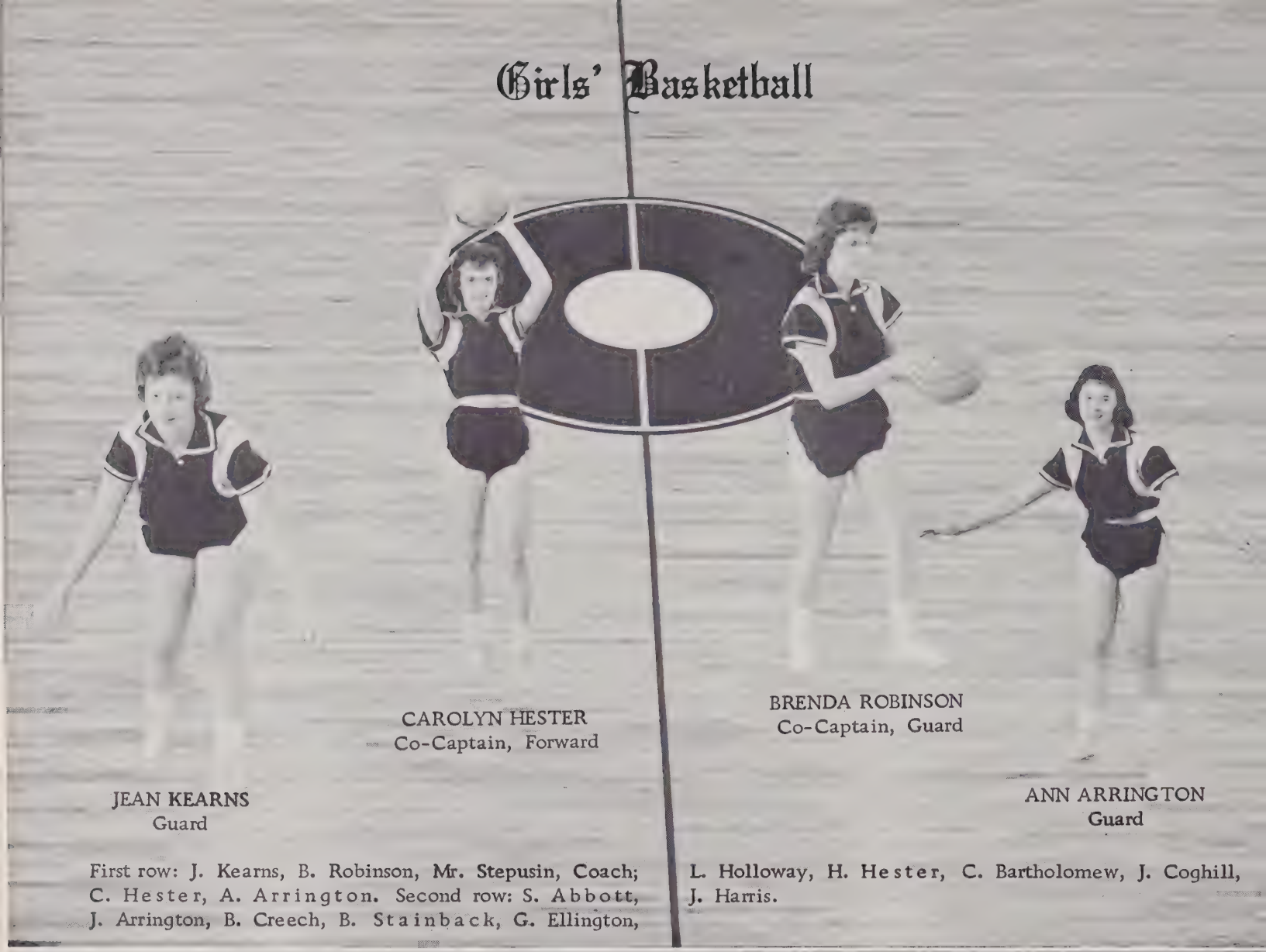

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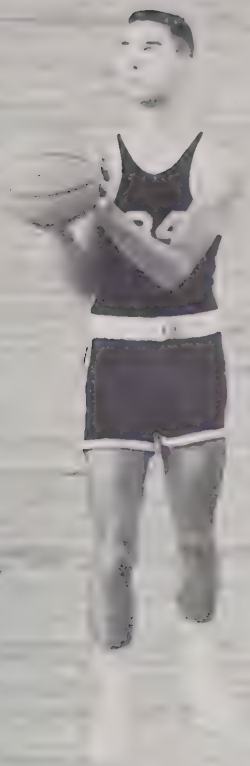

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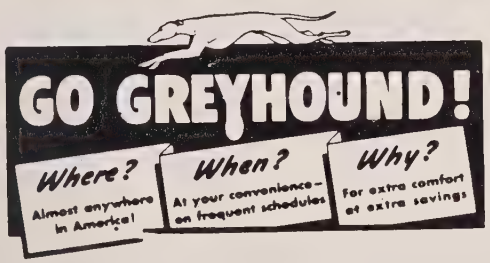

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Billy Fleming

I have certainly enjoyed having you as a teacher. You are a very nice person and were very helpful in typing. I don't think I could have done anything without your help. Best of luck.

Hunter

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Mrs. Reavis, I have really enjoyed having you this year. Especially during 5th period study hall! You're a very sweet teacher and I know you'll always be happy. You always have acted as if you were "one of us" and we really appreciated it. May your days ahead be Best of Luck.

Margaret Ann

Mrs. Reavis,

I have enjoyed having you as a teacher in high school. You are not only a good teacher, but also a very good friend. I wish the best of luck in the future.

Johnny Watkins

Mrs. Reavis,

I sure have enjoyed having you for a teacher. You are a very wonderful person who I could never forget. Without your help and understanding I don't know what I would have done. Best of luck to a sweet teacher.

Frances

Mrs. Reavis,

It has been a pleasure to have you as my teacher. Without your help and guidance I would have never made it through some of my subjects.

Best of luck to you throughout the coming years.

Patricia Myers

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Mrs. Reavis,

Best of luck always to a teacher I shall never forget. You are not only a good teacher, but a lovely friend.

Louise

Mrs. Reavis,

I have enjoyed having you for my teacher. Best of luck in the future.

Mac

MRS. REAVIS,

YOU ARE ONE OF THE BEST. STICK TO YOUR GOOD WAYS OF TEACHING AND THE ONES BEHIND US WILL ENJOY HAVING YOU AS MUCH AS I DID.

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Mrs. Reavis,

Best of luck to one of the best teachers I have ever had. I know sometimes we have been loud and fussed about homework, but we still consider you a good teacher and a very good friend as well.

Sylvia

Mrs. Reavis,

I have enjoyed having you as my teacher. You are a wonderful person. You give us a lot to learn. It's hard to learn anything, but I can learn a few things. Mrs. Reavis, you have been so good in trying to teach me [illegible] I'll never forget you!

Mrs Reavis,

I just don't know what to write about you. I don't want to say too much either way. You might think I'm trying to bribe you if I say something really nice, but then, you might fail me if I don't.

No I was only kidding. I can honestly say you are a most wonderful teacher, especially in Business Math and Typing.

I thank you for putting up with me as nicely as you do. I'll miss you and all the rest next year.

Brenda

Mrs Reavis

I have enjoyed your teaching me. I know I have been loud for you. I want to thank you very much for all the extra trouble teaching me history. I think you are one of the best and smartest teachers I have ever known. It has been a pleasure to be in your class. I hope you go on to do [illegible].

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I have enjoyed having you as a teacher and friend these few years. I never thought I would get that Shorthand, but I managed somehow.

Best of luck in the future. Don't miss us too much next year!

Love,
Carolyn

Mrs. Reavis,

I still say you're crazy! I'll always remember you as an avid "Carolina" fan - someone who thought Mrs. Kennedy was beautiful, etc. Ha! Study Hall was really a riot. I sure enjoyed all the talks you, Margaret, and I have had.

Just think how peaceful it will be here next year with us seniors gone - no quarrels to settle. Joy, joy!

One of these days in the FAR future when you finally get your home all furnished - let me know. I want to see it!

A friend,
Dot Font

Mrs. Reavis,

I have enjoyed having you as my teacher that past two years. You are not only a good teacher, but a good friend. I will miss you and the rest next year. Wishing you the very best of luck in the future.

Sandra

Mrs. Reavis,

I have enjoyed having you as a teacher for the past two years. Hope we haven't got on your nerves to bad. We really didn't mean to be so loud and fuss about all the home work. You are a good teacher. I will miss you next year. Hope to see you some in the summer. Bet you stay at the lake!

Jean Kearns